**FARMING – COMPREHENSION Qs**

**PASTURE TO PLATE**

1. **What is agriculture?**
2. **Where do farmers send their crops?**
3. **What is grown on an arable farm?**
4. **What would happen if we didn’t have farms?**

**INTENSIVE FARMING**

1. **How to intensive arable farms kill unwanted pests and weeds?**
2. **Name 2 examples of intensive livestock farming.**
3. **What is one benefit of intensive farming?**
4. **Why do many farmers have to rely on subsidies to support them?**
5. **List 3 reasons why chemicals such as pesticides and herbicides are bad.**
6. **Why would food grown in a garden be better?**

**EXTENSIVE AND ORGANIC FARMING**

1. **Why is extensive farming better for animals and our health?**
2. **What does ‘organic’ mean?**
3. **Why do organic farmers use crop rotation?**
4. **Why does it cost more to be an organic farmer?**
5. **Why don’t more people buy organic food?**

**FISHING**

1. **What is a trawler?**
2. **What are the 2 drawbacks of commercial fishing?**
3. **What are fish farms?**
4. **What is the problem with fish farms?**
5. **Why is eating fish very good for us?**

**FARMING IN AUSTRALIA TODAY**

1. **How much money does agriculture generate for the Australian economy each year?**
2. **How many people does farming employ across Australia?**
3. **How much land do farms take up in Australia?**
4. **What livestock takes up the most land in Australian agriculture?**
5. **What type of farming is most common in Victoria?**
6. **In which states is sugar cane a major crop?**
7. **Name 2 inventions that helped the expansion of farming in the twentieth century.**